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	Products expected			Princi	pal raw ma	terial	8
	Name of articles		thly od'n.	Name	Holding	Futur	esary
(a)	Parts of railroad wagons			Steel		mater	ials/ nth
	Ventilators	500	pes.	material	12 tons	2.4	Tons
	Flanges	500	*		1 ton	0.3	ton
	Gear cases	300	**		2 tons	0.7	
(b)	Agricultural tools &	met ma	achine	88			
	Rice-hackles	30		(material	0.7 ton	0.23	ton
	Hoes & mattocks	1,000		Steel	ow in prov	420 (K	
(0)	Lead works				ow in prov		
	Pletes	15	tons			16.5 t	ons
	Pipes & tubes	10	•		5	11.0	
	Sinkers (for fishing)	0.	5 ton	Lead sci	cap)6L	0.55	ton
	Fuse	0.	05 "		tons	0.055	
	Accessories of Rayon Sp. M/cs	2.	5 "	1	}	2.75	tons

(4)

# Drugs for medical treatment

Thianthol	l ton (Tolnol	5 tons	2 tons
	Sulphur	2 "	0.9 ton
	(Aluminium ox	ide 10 "	0.2 "
Calcium sulphides	20 tons(Quick lime	20 "	2 tons
	(Sulphur	8 "	4 "
Magnesium sulphate	2 " Crude magres: sulphate	ium 10 "	2.8 "
Aluminium sulphate	0.5 ton Crude alumin sulphate	aium 8 "	1.5 "

# Certification by applicant

I certify that the information contained herewith is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

TOYO RAYON CO.

DIRECTOR

#### HEADQUARTERS SIXTH ARMY MILITARY GOVERNMENT SECTION

Date: 30th Nov., 1945

File: MG 153

SUBJECT: Permit for Reconversion from War Production and for Resumption of Production of Essential Civilian Commodities.

TO: Toyo Rayon Kaisha, Ltd., Shiga Factory.
(Name & Address of Firm)

46 Ishiyama Kitaoji-cho, Otsu, Shigaken.

- 1. In accordance with the provisions of paragraphs 3 a and 3 b of Directive No.3 from the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, dated 22 September 1945; Memorandum for the Imperial Japanese Government, Subject: Reconversion of War Production Plants to Peacetime Production, dated 28 October 1945; and under authority granted this Headquarters by CINCAFPAC Radio ZAX 6197 dated 3 October 1945, you are authorized to commence operation of your plant, and to manufacture the essential civilian commodities listed in Annex No.1 to this permit.
- 2. This permit grants authority only to operate. The acquisition of materials, parts, and sub-assemblies, as well as the disposition of finished products and establishment of sales prices, will be in accord with the regulations of the Imperial Japanese Government.
- 3. At the end of the first month of operation, and at the end of each three-month period thereafter, until notified to the contrary by this Headquarters a report will be made to the Commanding General I Corp, Headquarters Osaka, Attention: Military Government Section. This report will be written in English and will list each item, by name, type, and quantity produced by each factory, subsidiary, or sub-contractor operating under the provisions of this permit. This report will be delivered to Corps Headquarters not later than fifteen (15) days after the conclusion of the period to which the report pertains.

GEORGE D. BEARS
Colonel, Infantry
Military Government Officer

Info. Copies To:

GHQ, SCAP (Attn: E. & S. Sec.)
CG I Corps, (Attn: MG Sec.)
Imperial Japanese Gov't.
(6th Army Jap. Liaison Office, Kyoto)

I Incl:
Annex No.1

HEADQUARTERS SIXTH ARMY MILITARY GOVERNMENT SECTION

> nov. Wov. 30th, 1945

ANNEX NO.E 1

Permission is granted to Toyo Rayon Kaisha, Ltd., Shiga Factory, 46 Ishiyama Kitaoji-cho, Otsu, Shigaken to produce the following items listed below:

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- b. Accessories and fittings for rayon production.
- c. Rayon yarn.
- d. Staple fibre.
- e. Sulphuric acid.
- f. Synthetic resin.
- g. Repair of railroad equipment and trucks.

(Nothing Follows)

D. S. LOCKIE 1st Lt. F. D.

# PRODUCTION SINCE PERMISSION WAS GRANTED (Dec., 1945 - May, 1946)

Named Articles	Jnit	Dec., 1945	Jan., 1946	Feb., 1946	March, 1946	April,	May 1946
Ray Yarn	lbs	60,900				1946	
gon Staple F.					20,100	91,300	132,130
alphuric Acid (100 %)	Kgs.7	47,850	136,034	455,493			94,021
Synthetic Resin	**						
Fishing out			396				20
Fishing gut (made of synthetic resin)						461	239
Dismantled of railroad equipment	agons			22			
Repair for rail- road equipment & trucks		12		19	24	28	29
entilator for railroad & others	Sets			269	265		
epair of trans- former				11		14	14
pindle motors							
epair of switch				210	532	718	554
					2		

SHIGA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM APO 25 (Otsu, Honshu)

File: Shigs # 25

29 July

1946

Permit to Manufacture

TO:

Toyo Rayon Co., Shiga Factory

(Name and Address of Firm)

46 Ishiyama Kitaoji-cho, Otsu City

1. a. In acord with paragraph 3, b, Directive Number Three (3) from the Supreme Commander to the Japanese Imperial Government, dated 22 September 1945, the Toyo Rayon Co.

(Name of Firm)

is permitted to immediately start production of a.rayon yarn b. staple (Name of Items)

fibre c.synthetic resin d.sulphuric acid e.textile machines f.repair of railroad equipment g.ventilators h.flanges i.gear cases j.rice hackles k.hoes l.lead plates m.lead pipes n.lead sinkers o.lead fuse p.thianthol q.calcium sulphides r.magnesium sulphate s.aluminum sulphate. Accessorieq of Tayon Spinning Machines. Accessories and fittings for rayon production.

b. Maximum production currently authorized is monthly, a b c d e f as previously authorized. g. 500 h. 500 i. 300 j. 300 sets k. 1,000 1. 15 tons m. 10 tons n. one half ton o. one-twentieth of a ton p. one ton q. 20 tons F. 2 tons S. one-half ton.

- 2. The acquisition of material, parts and sub-assemblies as well as the disposition of finished products, and the establishment of sales prices will be in accord with the regulations of the Imperial Japanese Government.
- 3. Until otherwise directed by this headquarters, a monthly report in English of each item, by name, type and quantity produced by each factory, sub-contractor subsidiary within this factory's control will be delivered to this office by the fifteenth (15) day of the following month.
- 4. It is understood that this permit for reconversion is issued subject to any all directives affecting reconversion, ultimate desposition or otherwise, which have been issued or may hereafter be issued by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers or by this Headquarters.

DISTRIBUTION

CG, I Corps (Attn: Mil Gov't) higa La Liaison Office Governor of Prefecture concerned(1

ERNEST E. BRUBAKER Major, Signal Corps Commanding.

Firm Concerned File

June 17th, 1946

#### APPLICATION FOR THE PERMISSION FOR SUPPLEMENTARY PRODUCTION OF ESSENTIAL CIVILIAN COMMODITIES

The Commander of the lat Army-Corps To (Through Shiga-ken)

Y. Hara, Director of Toyo Rayon Co. rom 46 Ishiyama Kitaojicho, Otsu, Shiga-ken

Name of Factory Toyo Rayon Co., Shiga Factory

Lecation 46 Ishiyama Kitaojicho, Otsu, Shigaken

(3) Capital ¥ 35,375,000.00

Previous Permission (4) Following Articles were permitted by the commander of the 6th Army Corps, APO 442, File MG 153, dated Nov. 30, '45.

> Rayon Yarn (a)

Staple fibre (b)

Synthetic resin

Sulphuric acid (d)

Textile m/cs & accessories

Accessories and fittings for rayon (f) production

Repair of railroad equipment & trucks

500

500

300

Names & numbers of the supplement application for the future additional productions

> Articles Units Monthly Production

a) Parts of Railroad wagons

Ventilators pes. Flanges Gear cases

	Articles (2)	Units	Monthly
b)	Agricultural tools & machines		
	Rice-hackles	sets	300
	Hoes & Mattocks	pes.	1,000
e)	Lead-works		
	Plates	Tons	15
	Pipes & Tubes		10
	Sinkers (for fighing)		0.5
	Fuse		0.05
	Accessories of Rayon Spinning Machines		2.5
d)	Drugs for Medical Treatment		
	Thienthol	Tons	
	Calcium sulphides		
	Magnesium sulphate		
	Aluminium sulphate		0.5

# Reason of Supplemental production :-

## Parts of Railroad agons

Our repairing works of the railroad wagons are gradually increased. Consequently it is necessary for us to produce and supply the parts of the railroad wagons by ourselves for the purpose of the repairing works.

Agricultural tools and machineries Agricultural tools and machineries in Shiga-ken are very short. Therefore we wish to produce and supply the same as soon as possible.

#### Lead orks

Our holding machines and techniques being permitted for the repairing of our rayon machines are also to be used for the lead works.

Consequently we wish to produce and supply the sprendid lead goods to the market.

Drugs for medical treatment Our chemical and scientific techniques to be used for the purpose of producing drugs.

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	Hoes & mattocks	000		Lumber n Steel Material		420 (Koku)
					ow in prov	
(c)	Lead works					20 (Koku)
	Pletes	15	tons			16.5 tons
	Pipes & tubes	10				11.0 "
	Sinkers (for fishing)	0.	5 tor	)Lead sc		0.55 ton
	Puse	0.	05 "		tons	0.055 "
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	Alumini	ium oxide 10	
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#### Certification by applicant (8)

I certify that the information contained herewith is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

TOYO RAYON CO.

#### HEADQUARTERS SHIGA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM APO 25 (Otsu, Honshu)

29 July 1946

SUBJECT: Permit to Manufacture, Toyo Rayon Co.

Shiga Ken Liaison Office. TO:

1. Permit M.G. 153, Headquarters Sixth Army, dated 30 November 1945 issued to Toyo Rayon Co., Shiga Factory is hereby cancelled and permit Shiga No. 25 issued to supersede it.

- 2. Copies of permit Shiga No. 25 are forwarded herewith for distribution.
- 3. Attention is derected to the reports required by paragraph 3 of the permit.

ERNEST E. BRUBAKER Major, Signal Corps Commanding

#### HEADQUARTERS DA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM APO 25 (Oteu, Honehu)

29 July 1946

SUBJECT: Permit to Manufacture. Toyo Rayon Co.

Commanding General, I Corpe, APO 301 (Kyoto, Honshu) (Attention: Military Covernment Section) TOI

- 1. A copy of permit Shigs # 25 issued to the Toyc Rayon Co., Shiga Factory, 46 Ishiyama Kitaoji-cho, Otsu, Shiga Ken is forwarded for your information.
- 2. This supersedes permit NG 153, Readquarters Sixth Army, 30 November 1945 which has been cacelled.

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ERNEST E. BRUBAKER

Major, Signal Corps 1. Permit Shiga # 25 2. Permit MG 153 and annex. Commanding

3. Application to Manufacture.

HEADQUARTERS SIXTH ARMY Military Government Section

File: MG 153

APO 442 Date: 30 movember 1945

Permit for Reconversion from War Production and for Resumption SUBJECT:

of Production of Essential Civilian Commodities.

TO

Toyo Hayon Enisha, -td., Shiga Factory.

(Name & Address of Firm)

# hoe Inhirane Eliteoji-cho, Otou, Shigaken

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GEORGE D. SEARS Colonel, Infantry Military Government Officer

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#### HEADQUARTERS SIXTH ARMY Military Government Section APO 442

30 November 1945

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- Synthetic resin.
- Repair of railroad equipment and trucks.

(Nothing Follows)

D. S. LOCKIE 1st Lt. F. D. HEADQUARTERS I CORPS APO 301 (Osaka, Honshu)

GMP/mw.

AG 319.1 - BA

7 December 1945.

SUBJECT: Report of Resumption of Production of Essential Civilian Commodities.

Toyo Rayon Kaisha, Ltd., Shiga Factory.
46, Ishiyama Kitaoji-cho, Otsu, Shigaken.

1. Under date 30 November , a permit was issued to you by the
46, Ishiyama Kitaoji-cho,

Sixth Army to produce in your plant at
Otsu, Shigaken.

the following items specified in annex No. 1 to that permit:

a. Textile machines and accessories.

b. Accessories and fittings for rayon production.

c. Rayon yarn.

d. Staple fibre.
e. Sulphuric acid.
f. Synthetic resin.
g. Repair of railroad equipment and trucks.

2. Whenever production has begun on any one of the permitted items, you will immediately report in triplicate the date on which such production began. The report will be furnished to the Commanding General, Headquarters I Corps, attention: Military Government Section.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL WOODRUFF:

M. a. Suveeten

W.A. SWEETEN. Lt. Colonel, AGD. Asst. Adj. Gen.

Info copies:

MGO, 33 Inf Div (1)

# from Toyo Rayon Co. Ltd.

	Articles	Units	Monthly Production
a)	Parts of Railroad wagons		
	Ventilators	pcs.	500
	Flanges		500
	Gear cases		300
b)	Agricultural tools & machines		
	Rice-hackles	sets	300
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	Plates	tons	15
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GERTIFICATE

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT the production of additional items are necessary for the maintenance of the present Japanese economy as mentioned in the attached application.

HATSUO MINUSHA Liminon Officer in Shige Rep Liminon Office

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pindle motor				210	532		
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#### SHIGA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TRAM APO 25 (Otsu, Honshu)

24 July 1946

SUBJECT: Permit to Manufacture Additional Items, Toyo Rayon Co.

Shiga Ken Liaison Office TO:

- 1. The Toyo Rayon Co., Shiga Factory, 46 Ishiyama Kitaojicho, Cteu, Shiga Ken is operating under permit MG-153 Headquarters Sixth Army, dated 30 November 1945. This company has applied for a permit to manufacture additional items.
- 2. It is requested that all copies of the present permit be returned to this headquarters for cancellation, at which time a new permit will be issued to include the additional items.

ERNEST E. BRUBAKER Major: Single Corps Commanding

## MEMORANDUM FROM TOYO RAYON CO., LTD.

March 9th, 1946

To Lieutenant F. Prager

## Subject: Sulphuric Acid Plants.

For the exclusive purpose of self-supplying sulphuric acid in connection with the production of rayon, two plants were installed in the compound of Shiga Factory; the first plant of "Petersen" chamber process was erected in Sept., 1934 and the second plant of "Monsanto" contact process in Oct., 1937, each plant with a nominal capacity of 50 tons/day of 100% Sulphuric Acid. (actual capacity is about 30 tons each).

Through deterioration by age along with the lack of proper care and repair during war-time, the productive capacity of both plants has greatly reduced, and at present average 40 tons can only be produced daily, approximately 15 tons by "Petersen" and 25 tons by "Monsanto."

On the other hand, the consumption of sulphuric acid in Shiga Factory will be 40 tons or more; 25 to 30 tons per day for the production of rayon, 10 tons for synthetic resin of polyamide group and a few tons for manufacturing vita-yeast (for nutrition) and saccharine; the production of these last two is now under contemplation.

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Toyo Kayo Co.

# TOYO RAYON KAISHA, LTD. - SHIGA FACTORY

Location :-46, Ishiyama Kitaoji-cho, Otsu, Shiga-ken Products :-

- Rayon Yarn and Staple Fibre (Viscose process)
- Spinning pumps, pot motors for the production of rayon, power looms, yarn twister, textile equipments, repair works of rolling-stock, transformers.
- Synthetic resin of polyamide group (trade name "Amilan"), of which fishing guts and insulation material for electrical use are made.
- Sulphuric acid for the production of rayon and synthetic resin (consumed in the same compound)
- Lead tubes and plates (mostly used in rayon machinery) General description of machinery & plant :-
  - For General Purposes

(Manufacturing Rayon Yarn, Staple Fibre, Synthetic Resin, etc.)

- Power Generation
  - Boiler House (Power Generation & Heating)

10 sets - Babcock & Willcox type Boilers

1 set - Lancashire type Boiler

1 set - Multitube type Boiler

Total Evaporation about 210 tons/hr.

- Power House
  - 1 set 2,000 KW Turbo-Alternator (Straight condensing type) made by British Thomson Houston Co.
  - 1 set 5,000 KW Turbo-Alternator (Extraction type made by Ishikawajima Turbine Co.
  - 1 set 7,000 KW Turbo-Alternator

-2-

# Reception & Distribution of Electric Current

## Transformers

In the main substation

4 sets - 500 KVA Transformer (For 700 KVA cycle changer) - 300 KVA

(For 2nd & 3rd Production Dept.)

- 100 KVA (For Lighting in 2nd & 3rd Production Dept.)

(b) In the substation for 1st Mill

7 sets - 500 KVA Transformers (For Power)

4 " - 300 KVA "

4 " - 150 KVA " (For Lighting)

(c) In the substation for 2nd Mill

7 sets - 300 KVA Transformer (For Power)

l set - 200 KVA " ( ")

4 sets - 100 KVA " (For Lighting)

## (2) Main Substation .

The cycle changers (For manufacturing Rayon & Staple Fibre)

4 sets - 1,000 KVA cycle changer

800 KVA

3 " - 700 KVA

Receiving Capacity for Electric Current

In the substation

5,000 KW.

In the main switch house 3,000 "

Total: 8,000 "

### Water Supply

7 sets - Centrifugal Pumps

" - Reservoirs (Capacity 1,200,000 cubic ft. in ) total

4 sets - Filtering Beds (Capacity 400,000 cub.ft.in total)

" - Cleaning Bed ( " 160,000 "

Total Capacity about 40,000,000 US gallons/day

#### Machine Shop for Repair Work

49 sets - Lathes

3 " - Vertical Shapers

3 " - Shapers

.7 " - Milling Machines

1 set - Cutting Machine

6 sets - Boring Machines

12 sets - Grinders

2 sets - Lathes for wood

1 set - Screw Cutting Machine

(b) Foundry Shop

1 set - Cupola Furnace (Capacity 1 ton/day)

Refrigerating Machines

27 sets - Refrigerating Machines with its accessories Total capacity 2,280 Refrigeration Tons (in which 13 sets to be mended)

(d) Air Compressors

20 sets - Air Compressors

(e) Vacuum Pumps

13 sets - Vacuum Pumps

For manufacturing Rayon Yarn & Staple Fibre.

Machines for Production proper.

46 sets - Steeping Presses

- Milling Machines

54 sets - Kneading Machines

" - Spinning Machines

where 188 sets for Rayon

21 sets for Staple Fibre

16 sets - Bleaching Machines

where 7 sets for Rayon

9 sets for Staple Fibre

23 sets - Drying Machines

where 14 sets for Rayon

9 sets for Staple Fibre

Registered Capacity (Tons/day)

	Rayon	Staple Fibre	Total
lst Mill	29.274		29.274
2nd Mill	16.866	32.344	49,210
Total:	46,140	32-344	78-484

#### Auxiliaries

Humidifiers

8 sets - Humidifiers

(Controlling the temperature & the humidity)

- Acid Recovery Plant
  - Evaporators, Crystallizers, Centrifuge, etc.
- Soda Recovery Plants
- Machine Tools and Equipments for manufacturing Fibre machinery accessories (Such as Spinning Pumps, Spinning Motor parts) power looms, yarn twisting machine, etc. and for repair works of rolling-stock and transformers.

#### (1) Machine Tools

194 sets - Lathes

48 " - Milling Machines

- Shapers

9 " - Vertical Shapers

4 " - Planers

59 " - Boring Machines

1 set - Jig Borer

5 sets - Drilling Machines

23 " - Grinder

6 " - Gear Cutting Machines

1 set - Brouching Machine

2 sets - Metal Saws

2 " - High Speed Cutting Machines

#### (2) Equipments for Plumber's Shop

1 set - Air Hammer

2 sets - Hydraulic Presses

2 " - Shearing Machines

2 " - Bending Rollers

4 " - Air Compressors

### Other Equipments

1 set - Chrome Gilding Plant

1 " - Electric Gilding Plant

#### Electrical Equipment

1 set - Electric Furnace

6 sets - Transformers

- Machinery & Plant for Producing Synthetic Resin of Polyamide group.
  - Pilot Plant Capacity 100 pounds/day
  - Industrial Plant 1 ton/day
- Machinery & Plant for Producing Sulphuric Acid
  - (1) Petersen Process :- 30 tons/day (nominal capacity-)
  - 50 tons (2) Monsanto Process :- 30 tons/day ( 50 tons
- (F) Lead Tube & Plate Mill

2 tons/day each Capacity

Lead tubes and plates are used in the manufacture of Rayon Yarn & Staple Fibre.

"Registered capacity" means the productive capacity of rayon plants, originally registered with the Rayon Association, and must be regarded as nominal. The actual plant capacity at present is 700,000 lbs-1,000,000 lbs of Rayon Yarn and 300,000 lbs of Staple Fibre per month. This can be increased to about 1,700,000 lbs of rayon yarn per month by March, next, when repair and replacement work on machinery will be completed.

46 Lshiyama Kitaoji-cho Otsu Shigaken Feb 20th 1946

Lt. #. Prager

Dear Sir

We beg to inform to you that the details of our Production and consumption of Sulphuric Acid(100%) in Dec. 1945 & Jan. 1946 are as follows.

December	Production (100%)	Self	Shipped for outsider	Shipping destails outsider	for
1945	747.647	53.715	247.750	Toyo Boseki K.K. (Tsuruga Factory)	97.905 ton
				Nippon Kogyo K.K. (Toyama Factory)	142.078
				Kyoritsu Noyaku	ton
				(Moriyama Factory)	1.103
				Nippon Denchi K.K. (Kyoto Factory)	
				Total	247.750
	ton	ton	ton		ton
January	136.034	32.530	256.402	Nippon Kogyo K.A. (Toyama Factory)	62.248
1946				Toyo Boseki K.K. (Tsuruga Factory)	ton 157.977 ton
				Nippon Boseki K.K. (Nishi Ogaki Factor	13.135
					ton
				Nippon Denchi K.K. (Kyoto Factory)	3.270
					ton
				Daiichi Kogyo K.K. (Kyoto Factory)	13.170
				Yuasa Denchi K.K. (Takatsuki Factory)	ton 6.602
					256.402
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DIRECTOR

February 4th, 1946

## RAYON FILAMENT YARN & STAPLE FIRM INDUSTRY

#### I. BAYOR YARN

Production capacity of Rayon Yarn in pre-war years was greatly reduced during the war-time, as noted below :-

		So. of plant	Production in tons of 1000 Kgs.	Capacity
	Plants existing in pre-war time			1,763,000
	Plants completely closed down			
(3)	Plants partly closed down			203,000
(4)	Plants surviving			42.6,000

Equipments proper for manufacturing rayon yern in (2) and (3) plants were mostly scrapped under the government direction and shipped to steel works.

Capacity noted above is the so-called "registered capacity" and must be regarded as nominal.

(B) Production capacity of Rayon Yarn with present workable equipment is estimated as approximately 5,300,000 lbs per month; this can be increased to 8,600,000 lbs (per month) in about 6 months, and probably to 12,000,000 lbs (per month) by March, 1947, when repair work, replacement

and various fitting up will be completed.

Thus, production of about 57,000,000 lbs for this year, and 140,000,000 lbs for 1947 can be expected in relation to the plant capacity.

(c) Home congumption of Reyon Yern can be surmised from the statistics of the production and export in the 3 years, 1935-1937, when rayon production in Japan had the highest record.

Production 1935-1937

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1935-1937 (in yarn & fablics)

Home consumption 1935-1937 273,296,000 lbs average annually 104,055,000 1bs

169,241,000 lbs

As this last figure includes roughly 50,000,000 lbs of yarns used for miscellaneous goods exported, the actual home consumption might be taken as 100,000,000 lbs annually.

However, in consideration of the fact that silk will not be available for home use and of shortage of fibre goods caused by wer, it is reasonable to estimate the home consumption at present and in immediate future as being 150,000,000 lbs annually.

(3)

# Raw Materials, Chemicals, etc. required for the production of Rayon Yarn, in 1946 & 1947.

		loo lbs of Rayon	For Rayon 57,000,000 lbs (April-Dec., 1946)	For Rayon 140,000,000 lbs (1947)
(1)	Pulp	120	68,400,000 lbs (30,531 tons)	168,000,000 lbs (75,000 tons)
(2)	Caustic Soda		45,600,000 lbs (20,357 tons)	112,000,000 lbs (50,000 tons)
(3)	Salt for abov	e 188	104,850,000 lbs (46,808 tons)	263,200,000 lbs (117,500 tons)
(4)	Carbon Bisulphide	35	19,950,000 lbs (8,106 tons)	49,000,000 lbs (21,875 tons)
(5)	Sulphuric aci 100%	120	68,400,000 lbs (30,531 tons)	168,000,000 lbs (75,000 tons)
(6)	Coal	800	456,000,000 lbs (203,571 tons)	1,120,000,000 lbs (500,000 tons)
(7)	Electric Power		171,000,000 K.W.H. (20,300 K.W.)	

## STAPLE FIBRE

Reduction in the production capacity of Staple Fibre followed the same course as that of Rayon Yarn.

		. of Plant	Production in tons of 1000 Kgs.	Capacity
	Plants in pre-war time			2,703,800
	Plants completely closed down			
	Plants partly closed down			
(4)	Plants surviving			976,800

Equipments in (2) and (3) plants were disposed .of in the same manner as in Rayon Yarn plants.

Capacity noted above is the so-called "registered capacity" and must be regarded as nominal.

- Production capacity of Staple Fibre with present workable equipment is estimated as approximately 8,600,000 lbs/month; this can be increased to 12,000,000 lbs/month in about 6 months, and, if necessary to about 16,000,000 - 18,000,000 lbs/month or possibly more.
- (C') Home consumption of Steple Fibre depends largely upon the import of cotton and it is rather difficult to determine the figure at least for the moment. Considering, however, the field in which Staple Fibre can be utilized to

advantage, it is assumed that approximately 100,000,000 lbs will be consumed annually at home and possibly abroad.

haw Materials and Chemicals, etc. required for the production of Steple Fibre :- -

		lucibs of S.F.	Production 80,000,000 lbs (APTIL-Dec., 1946)	For Staple Fibre Production 120,000,000 lbs (1947)
(1)				144,000,000 lbs (67,672 tons)
	Ceustic Sods		64,000;000 lbs (28,071 tons)	96,000,000 lbs (48,857 tons)
	Selt for above		150,400,000 lbs (67,143 tons)	225,600,000 lbs (100,715 tons)
	Carbon		28,000,000 lbs (12,500 tons)	42,000,000 lbs (18,756 tons)
	Sulphuric Acid		96,000,000 lbs (48,857 tons)	144,000,000 lbs (67,672 tone)
			640,000,000 lbs (285,710 coms)	960,000,000 lbs (426,575 tons)
			120,000,000 K.W.H.	

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